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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 14, 2006, please amend  
the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.